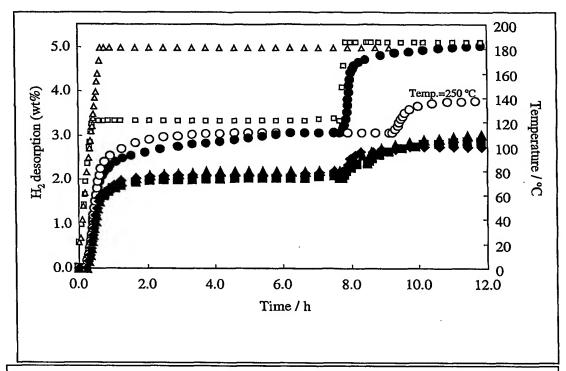
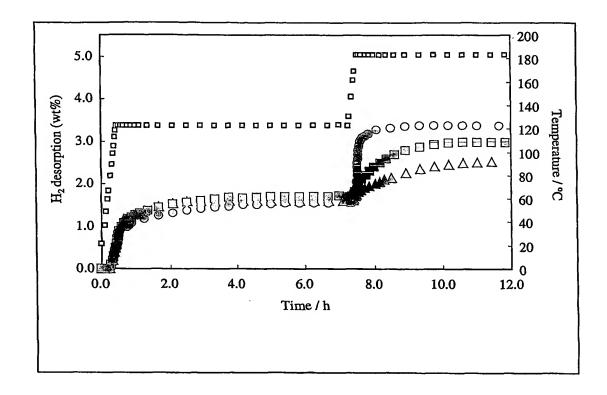
Figure 1



Encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub> (example 1); ( $\bullet$ ) cycle 1, ( $\blacktriangle$ ) cycle 2, ( $\blacksquare$ ) cycle 3, ( $\circ$ ) cycle 4,( $\bullet$ ) cycle 5; ( $\square$ ) temperature in cycles 1 to 3 and 5; temperature in cycle 4.

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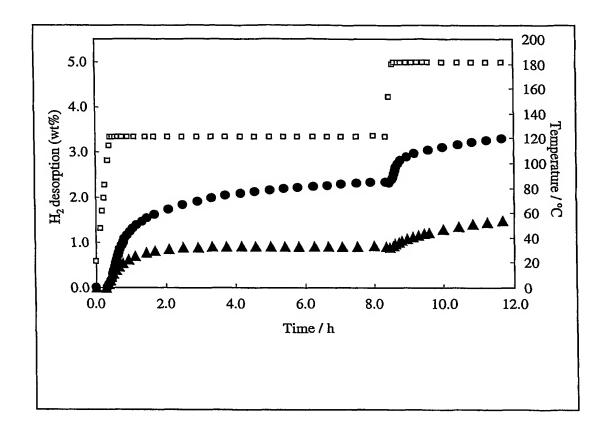
Figure 2



Encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub> (example 3); ( $\circ$ ) cycle 1, ( $\triangle$ ) cycle 2, ( $\square$ ) cycle 3, ( $\square$ ) temperature in cycles 1 to 3

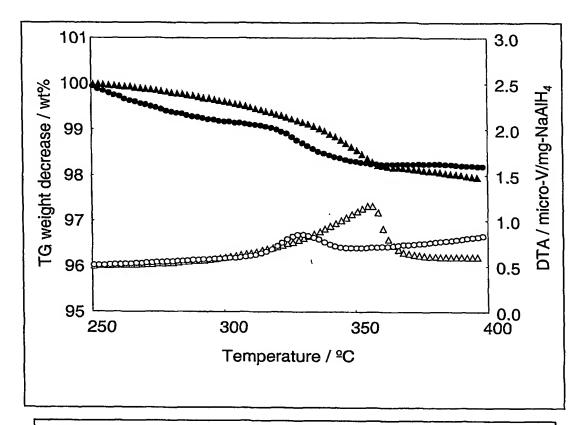
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Figure 3



Non-encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub>; ( $\bullet$ ) cycle 1, ( $\blacktriangle$ ) cycle 2, ( $\square$ ) temperature in cycles 1 and 2

Figure 4



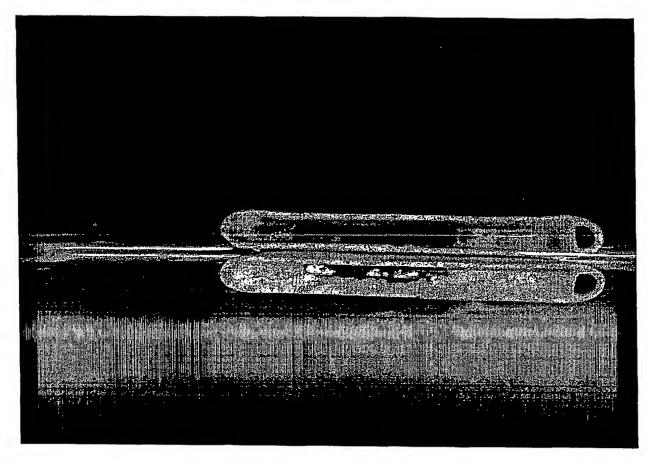
TG-DTA of encapsulated an non-encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub>; ( $\bullet$ ) TG of encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub> (example 3), ( $\blacktriangle$ ) TG of non-encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub>, ( $\circ$ ) DTA of Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub> (example 2), ( $\Delta$ ) DTA of non encapsulated Ti doped NaAlH<sub>4</sub>.

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Figure 5



NaAlH<sub>4</sub> doped with Ti after contact with air:
Upper probe is encapsulated, lower is non-encapsulated (example 1).

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Figure 6

